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FROM: Gen Willoughby **TO:** Col Fortier - A **PHONE:** **NAME:**

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Attached report from Rinalducci on Chinese Communist Army BO including maps should be exploited by you as promptly as possible. In fact we could send on to Washington as special report based on recent date observation. If you delay it much it loses its punch. Also early use in the daily. 1

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TAB 1: Memo to Gen Willoughby, Subj as abv, dtd 25 Jul 49.
TAB 2: Map Re Communist Mil Situation in Central, E &NW China 17 - 20 Jul 49.

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Col Polk - Follow Up
Col Myers/Maj Rinalducci - INFO

for M.G.
C.A.W.

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From: T/Int To: Gen Willoughby 9 Aug 49

Tabs 1 and 2 (original of report and map) have been withdrawn for transmittal to ID by Targets Branch. One copy of the report and a duplicate map has been retained by T/Int for early exploitation and use in the Daily Intel Summary.

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C/S-Li Ta 李達 | Commander-Yang Yung 楊勇 | 17th Army-unknown | 18th Army-Hong Hing-chang 王明章

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25 July 1949

MEMORANDUM TO: Gen Willoughby

SUBJECT: Information relative to Chinese Communists.

1. Information as hereinafter set forth relative to the Chinese Communists was obtained from Lt Gen Fisher T. Hou, G-2 of the Chinese Army. The information consisted of seven (7) separate items including a situation map.

a. STRENGTH AND ORGANIZATION OF COMMANDS OF CHINESE COMMUNISTS TROOPS (July 15, 1949)

1st Field Army-120,000 men
Commander-Peng Te-huai 彭德懷
Deputy-Chang Tsung-sun 張宗遜
Chao Shou-shan 趙壽山
Political-Hsi Chung-hsun 習仲勳
C/S-Chen Hai-han 陳海涵

1st Army Group-Chang Tsung-sun 張宗遜
Strength-60,000

1st Army-Ho Ping-ying 賀炳炎
4th Army-Wong Shih-tai 王世泰
6th Army-Lo Yuan-fa 羅元發
8th Army-Yao Chi 姚治

2nd Army Group-Wong Chen 王震
Strength-60,000

2nd Army-Wong Chen 王震
3rd Army-Hsu Kuang-ta 許光達
5th Army-Yang Cheng-min 楊拯民
7th Army-Sun Chao-chuan 孫超群
The Kiang-han Column-Wu Shih-an 吳世安
(strength 15,000)

2nd Field Army - 235,000 men
Commander-Liu Po-cheng 劉伯誠 (unconfirmed)
Deputy-Chen Keng 陳賡
Political Commissioner-Teng Hsiao-ping 鄧小平
C/S-Li Ta 李達

3rd Army Group-60,000 men
Commander-unknown
Deputy-Wong Chin-shan 王近山

10th Army-Ch'en Tsai-tao 陳載道
11th Army-Wei Chieh 韋傑
12th Army-Wong Chin-shan 王近山

4th Army Group-60,000 men
Commander-Chen Keng 陳賡
Deputy-Liu Feng 劉楓

13th Army-Chow Shi-han 周希漢
14th Army-Liu Feng 劉楓
Vice-Wong Chih-ming 王啟明
15th Army-Li Ch'en-fang 李成芳

5th Army Group-60,000
Commander-Yang Yung 楊勇

16th Army-unknown
17th Army-unknown
18th Army-Wong Ming-chang 王明章

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3rd Field Army-405,000 men
Commander-Chen Yi 陳毅
Deputy-Shu Yu 粟裕
Deputy-Chang Yun-yi 張雲逸
Deputy-Chang Ting-cheng 張鼎臣
Political Commissioner-Jao Su-shih 饒漱石
C/S-Chen Shih-chu 陳士渠
Political Director-Tang Liang 唐亮

6th Army Group-40,000
Commander-unknown

7th Army Group-60,000
Commander-Wong Chien-an

8th Army Group-60,000
Commander-Wong Pa-cheng

9th Army Group-80,000
Commander-Yeh Fei

10th Army Group-60,000

19th Army-Wong Hung-kun 王宏坤
9th Army-Kung Tsung-chou 孔從周

The New 6th Column-15,000 men
Commander-unknown

The Chang Kiang Column-15,000 men
Commander-Chang Chiang shen 張雍生

The speedy column-15,000 men
Commander-Chen Jui-ting 陳毅廷

21st Army-Wei Kuo-ching 韋國卿
22nd Army-Ho I-hsiang 何以祥
23rd Army-Tao Yung 陶勇
24th Army-Wong Pi-cheng 王必成
25th Army-Cheng Chun 成鈞
26th Army-(not available)
20th Army-Yeh Fei 葉飛
27th Army-Nieh Feng-chih 聶鳳治
30th Army-Chen Ching-hsien 陳慶先
32nd Army-Tan Hsi-lin 譚希林
28th Army-Soong Shih-lun 宋時輪
29th Army-Kuan Wen-wei 管文蔚

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The Chinese People Liberation Army

Strength-1,486,000

Commander

Chu Te

Deputy

Peng Te Huai

Chief of Staff

Yeh Chien Ying

Commander-Kuan Wen Wei 管文蔚

11th Army Group-100,000 men
Commander-not available

31st Army-Chou Chi Chien 周志堅

33rd Army-Chang Ke Hsia 張克俠

34th Army-Ho Chuan Feng 何全豐

35th Army-Wu Hua Wen 吳化文

36th Army-Yuan Yeh Lieh 袁也烈

37th Army-Tseng Shen 曾生

Independent Artillery Brigade (3,000 men)

The Artillery Division-Chia Tao 賈陶

1st Cavalry Division-Ho Runpin (3,000 men) 賀能彬

2nd Cavalry Division-Liu Ke-chiang (3,000 men) 劉克強

5th Independent Division Commander unknown (8,000 men)

38th Army-Li Tien Yiu 李天佑

Vice-Liu Shih Tung 劉世通

39th Army-Liu Chen 劉震

Vice-Sun Tze-Jen 孫子仁

40th Army-Han Hsien Chu 韓先楚

12th Army Group-90,000 men

Commander-not available

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4th Field Army-442,000 men
Commander-Lin Piao 林彪
Deputy-Lu Cheng-tsao 呂正操
Deputy-Hsiao Ching-kuang 蕭勁光
Political Commissioner-Lo Jung-huan 羅榮桓
Political Commissioner-Peng Chen 彭真
C/S-Liu Yah-lou 劉亞樓

13th Army Group-82,000
Commander-Chen Tse-Huan 陳子華
Deputy-Li Shih-lin 李士林

14th Army Group-114,000
Commander unknown

15th Army Group-98,000
Commander unknown

16th Army Group-22,000
Commander unknown

17th Army Group-strength unknown
Commander unknown

18th Army Group-72,000 men
Commander-Hsu Hsiang Chien
Deputy-Ten Tai-yuan
Political Commissioner Hsu Hsiang-chien

41st Army-Wu Yuan-mao 吳元茂
42nd Army-Soong Chi-han 宋岐涵
Vice-Chang Chi-yun 張韓茂
43rd Army-Huang Yi-Ping 黃一平
44th Army-Teng Hua 鄧華
Vice-Cheng Fong-che 鄭邦捷
45th Army-Tuan Shu-chuan 段舒權
46th Army-Chan Tsai-feng 詹才芳
47th Armu-Liang Hsing-tso 梁興祚
48th Army-Ouyang Chia-hsiang 歐陽嘉祥
49th Army-Tsao Li-hua 曹理煥
50th Army-Tseng Tze-shen 曾澤生
Vice-Yeh Chang-ken 葉長庚
51st Army (unknown)
52nd Army (unknown)
53rd Army (unknown)
54th Army (unknown)
55th Army (unknown)
56th Army (unknown)
57th Army (unknown)
58th Army (unknown)
59th Army-Peng Hsiao-hai 彭紹輝
60th Army-Wong Hsing-ting 王新亭
61st Army-Chao Chi-shin 趙岐鈦
62nd Army-Liu Chung 劉忠

5th Field Army-284,000 men Commander-Nieh Yung-chen Deputy-Hsu Hsiang-chin Political Commissioner-Nieh Yung-chen	19th Army Group-78,000 men Commander-Yang Te-chih Deputy-Ke Yen-chun	63rd Army-Ma Lung 馬龍 64th Army-Tseng Su-yu 曾思玉 65th Army-Sun I 孫毅 66th Army-Tang Tse-an 唐自安 67th Army-Kuo Tien-min 郭天民 68th Army-Yu Pin 于斌 69th Army-unknown 70th Army-unknown
	20th Army Group-122,000 men Commander-Yang Cheng Wu	

Academic Brig (1,200)

Garrison Brig (1,200)

Artillery Brig (1,200)

Cavalry Brig (1,200)

REMARKS 1. The total strength of the Communists troops is 4,789,000 men. The figure-1,486,000 appeared on this chart is the strength of the Communist regular troops. Other group such as 1,031,000 men of various military headquarters; 1,090,000 militia; 530,000 reserves; 420,000 army coolies; 100,000 military academy students and 132,000 bandits in South China are not included.

2. The organization of Chen-yi's, Liu Po-cheng's, Nieh Jung-chen's and Peng Te-huai's troops is compiled according to our intelligence information, and Li Piao's is based on judgement.

3. Except Independent Divisions, all Communist Army make-up is based on tripartite system, namely an army has three divisions; a division consists of 3 regiments; a regiment, three batallions and so forth.

4. Troops under Fu Tso-yi's, former Commander-in-chief in North China have been reorganized into 25 Independent Divisions. Besides the 5th, 24th and 62nd Independent Divisions which are attached directly to the 4th Field Army commanded by Lin Piao, the remainders were assigned to various armies commanded respectively by Lin Piao and Nieh Jung-chen.

5. Most of the Independent Divisions (brigades) which was reported to have been attached to various armies are not listed in this chart.

6. The strength of an army under different commanders varies, whose average is as follows:

15,000 men in each army of Peng Te-huai's troops.

20,000 men in each army of Liu Po-cheng's troops.

22,000 men in each army of Lin Piao's troops.

18,000 men in each army of Nieh Yung-chen's troops.

8,000 men in each Independent Division.

7. The strength of 16th and 17th Army Group is not available.

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b. LIST OF ESTIMATION OF COMMANDING SYSTEM OF COMMUNIST ARMY AREA
(July 15, 1949)

- East Manchuria Army Area
  - Suining Army Area 綏寧
    - Suian Area 綏安
    - Ningan Area 寧安
    - Linkow Area 林口
  - Kirin Army Area 吉林
    - Kitung Area 吉東
    - Kipeh Area 吉北
    - Kinan Area 吉南
- North Manchuria Army Area
  - Sungkiang Army Area 松江
    - Hatung Area 哈東
    - Hanan Area 哈南
  - Hokiang Army Area 合江
    - Hapeh Area 哈北
  - Heilungkiang Army Area 黑龍江
    - Peian Area 北安
- West Manchuria Army Area
  - Nunkiang Army Area 嫩江
  - Liaoki Army Area 遼吉
    - 1st Area
    - 2nd Area
    - 3rd Area
    - 4th Area
    - 5th Area

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1. Northeast Army Area	South Manchuria Army Area	Liaonan Army Area 遼南	1st Area 2nd Area 3rd Area 4th Area 5th Area
		Liaoning Army Area 遼寧	1st Area 2nd Area 3rd Area
	Hopei-Jehol-Liaoning Army Area	East Hopei Army Area 冀東	12th Area 13th Area 14th Area 15th Area
		Jehol-Liaoning Army Area 熱遼	17th Area 18th Area 19th Area 20th Area 21st Area 22nd Area Pingpeh Area
		Hopei-Jehol Army Area 冀熱	West Jehol Area 1st Area 2nd Area
	Shansi-Hopeh-Shantung-Honan Army Area	South Hopeh Army Area 冀南	3rd Area 4th Area 5th Area
		Hopeh-Shantung-Honan Army Area 冀魯豫	1st Area 2nd Area 3rd Area 4th Area 5th Area

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2. North China Army Area		Taihang Army Area 太行	1st Area
			2nd Area
			3rd Area
			4th Area
			5th Area
			6th Area
		Central Shansi Army Area	1st Area
		North Shantung Army Area	2nd Area
		Taiyao Army Area 太岳	3rd Area
			4th Area
		Central Shantung Army Area	1st Area
			2nd Area
			3rd Area
			4th Area
		Pehyao Army Area 北岳	5th Area
			6th Area
			7th Area
	Shansi-Chahar-Hopeh		North Chahar Area
			East Chahar Area
			8th Area
		Hopeh Army Area Central Hopeh Army Area 冀中	9th Area
			10th Area
			11th Area
			Suimi Area 綏米
			Yenan Area 延安
	Shensi-Kangsu-Ninghsia Army Area		Sanpian Area 三邊
			Lungtung Area 隴東
			Huanglung Area 黃龍
		Kansu Army Area	Sifu Area 西府
3. Northwest Army Area		Suiyuan-Mongolia Army Area 綏蒙	5th Area
			11th Area
			1st Area
		Yenmen Army Area 雁門	2nd Area
			6th Area

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Shansi-Suiyuan Army Area		3rd Area
		4th Area
	Luliang Army Area 呂梁	7th Area
		8th Area
		9th Area
	Central Shansi Army Area 晉中	
		1st Area
	South Shantung Army Area 魯南	2nd Area
		3rd Area
		1st Area
	Central Shantung Army Area 魯中	2nd Area
		3rd Area
		1st Area
	Pinhai Army Area 濱海	2nd Area
		3rd Area
		1st Area (or Tunghai Area) 東海
		2nd Area (or Peh-hai Area) 北海
	Chiaotung Army Area 膠東	3rd Area (or Sihai Area) 西海
		4th Area (or Nanhai Area) 南海
4. East China Army Area		5th Area
		1st Area
		2nd Area
		3rd Area
	Pohai Army Area 渤海	4th Area
		5th Area
		6th Area
		5th Area
	蘇北 North Kiangsu Army Area	6th Area
		3rd Area

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Central Kiangsu Army Area 蘇中	1st Area 2nd Area 9th Area
Kianghuai Army Area 江淮	1st Area 2nd Area 3rd Area 4th Area
Tungpeh Army Area 桐柏	1st Area 2nd Area 3rd Area 4th Area
Kianghan Army Area 江漢	1st Area 2nd Area 3rd Area 4th Area
Honan-Hupeh Army Area 豫鄂	1st Area 2nd Area 3rd Area 4th Area 5th Area
South Anhwei Army Area 皖南	1st Area 2nd Area 3rd Area 4th Area
Honan-Anhwei-Kiangsu Army Area	1st Area 2nd Area 3rd Area 4th Area 5th Area 6th Area
West Honan Army Area 豫西	1st Area 2nd Area 3rd Area

5. Central China Army Area

(or Chung Yuan Army Area)

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4th Area

5th Area

6th Area

South Shensi Army Area

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REMARKS:

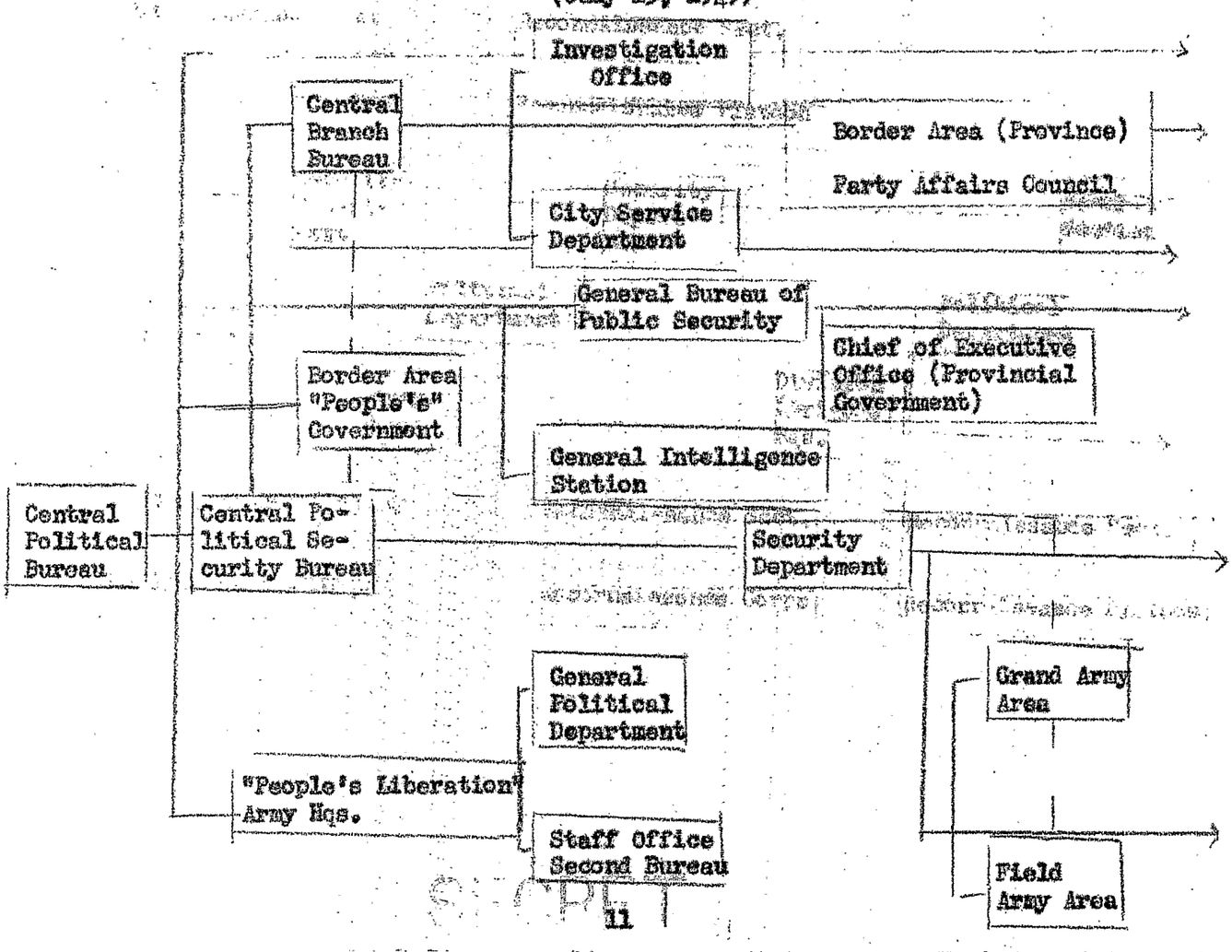
1. Communist Army Area comprises four grades, namely 1st grade Army area, 2nd grade Army Area, 3rd grade Army Area, and Army Sub-area, such as Northeast Army Area, North China Army Area. But in certain regions it does not contain the 2nd grade Army area, such as in East China Army Area, Central China Army Area, and Northwest Army Area.

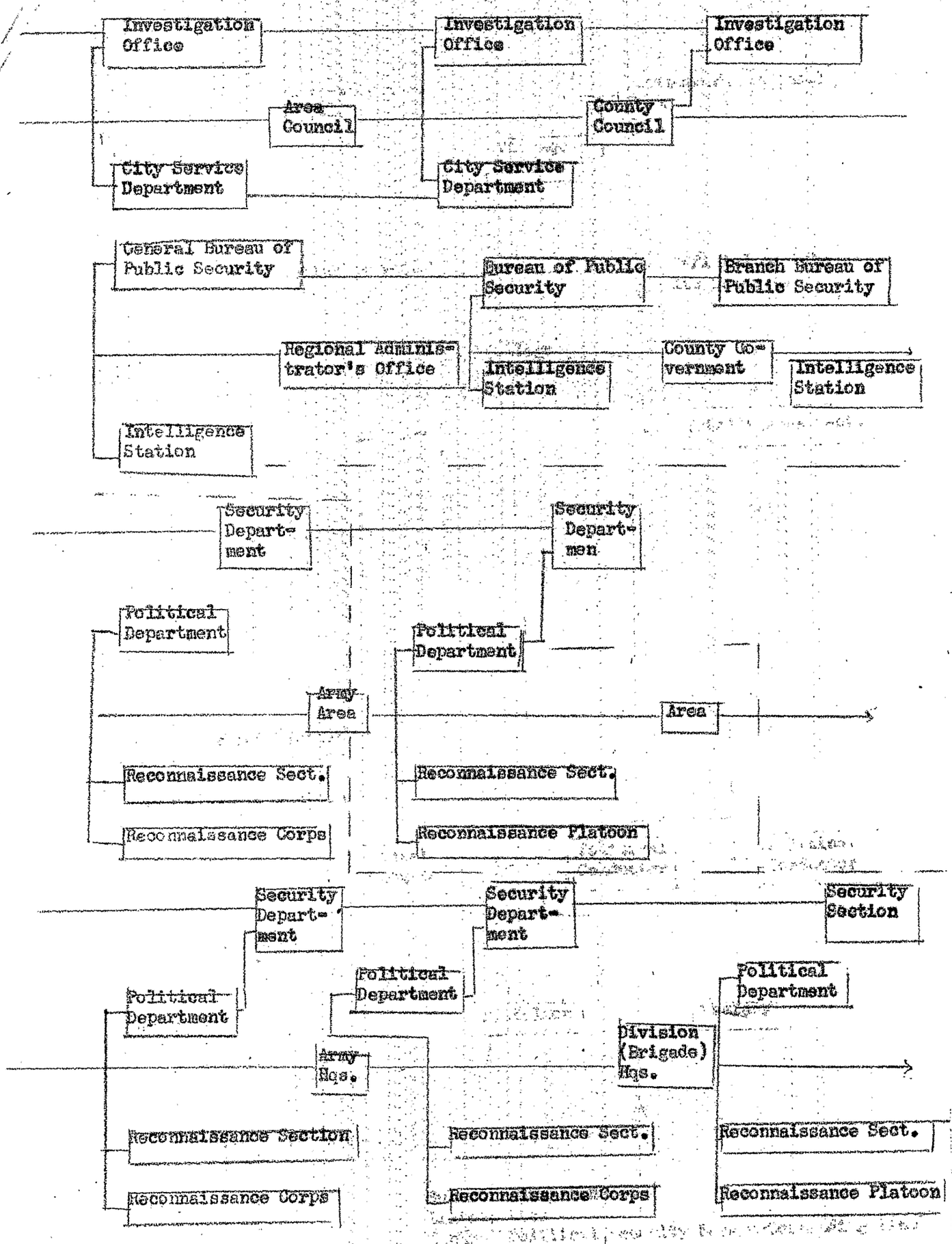
2. 1st, 2nd and 3rd grade Army Areas are always titled with the name of places it covered. But sub-area are only titled with numbers, very seldom with names of places.

3. Areas comprise various units which are not unified. These are independent regiments, nucleus regiments, detached regiments etc..

4. Commanding officer of the sub-area is concurrently commander of the independent brigade.

c. ESTIMATION OF ORGANIZATION OF COMMUNIST INTELLIGENCE AGENT
(July 15, 1949)

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County Government
Intelligence Station
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Security Department
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Political Department
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Army Area
Area
Reconnaissance Sect.
Reconnaissance Sect.
Reconnaissance Corps
Reconnaissance Platoon
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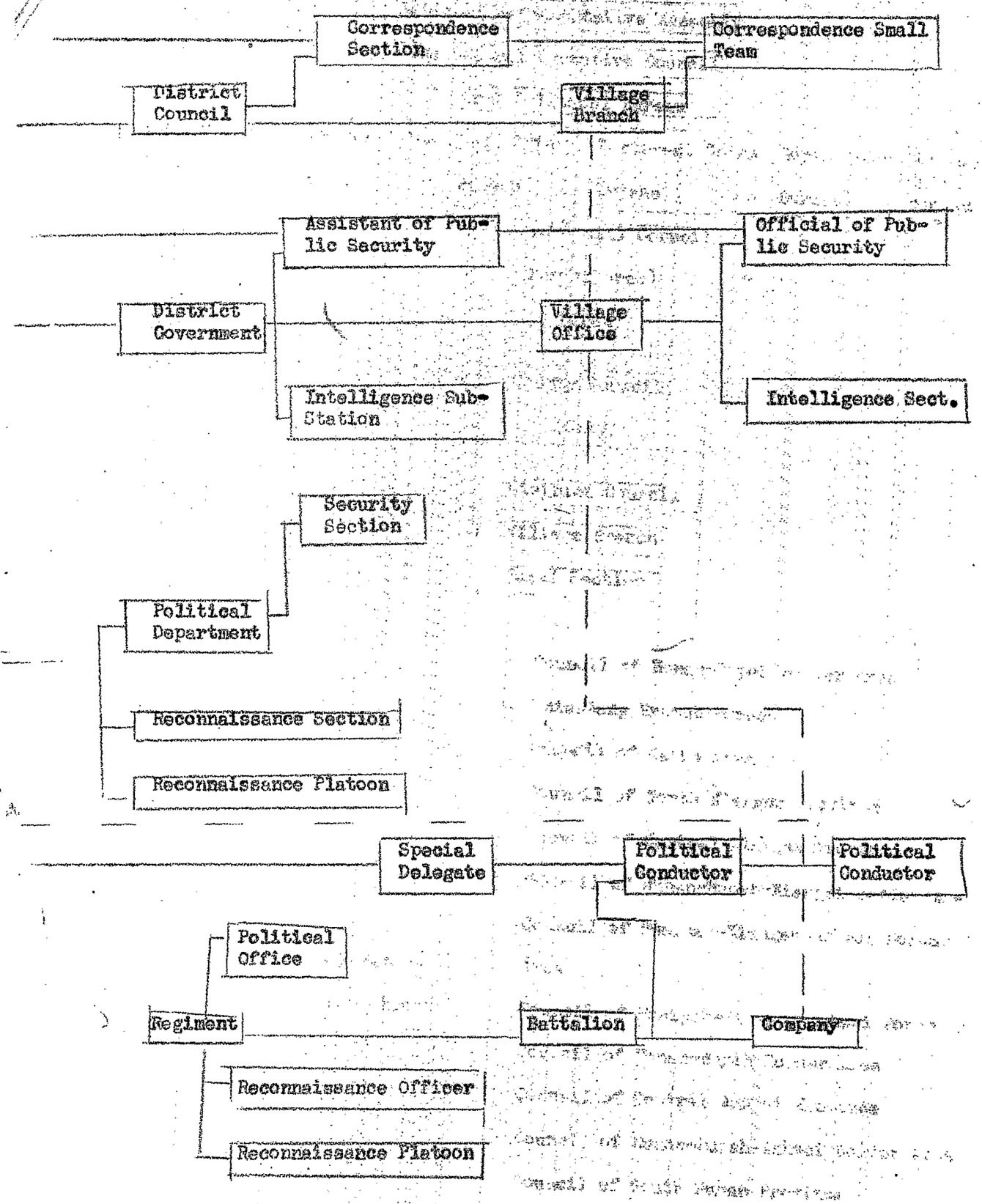

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FOREIGN TRADE POLICY

1. Control of foreign exchange

Upon entering into Shanghai, the Communists declared that the people are prohibited to hold the foreign currency. Foreign currency should either be changed into "People's Money" or deposited to the Bank of China. Merchants can never get the foreign bills of exchange from the Bank of China unless they have got permission from the Communist authority. In other words, such measures made the Communist trade organizations the sole holder of foreign currency concerning international trade.

2. Control of Commodities

(1) Import and export trade control--Import and export business are under control. Private-owned import and export companies are difficult to make any profit. Its regulations are:

A. Import and export trade company must first get a license from Communist Foreign Trade Bureau.

B. When they enter into contract with foreign companies, they should make a request for permission from the Communist Foreign Trade Bureau.

(2) Import and export commodities control--The necessities are not permitted to be exported. Imports of medicines, machines, and military supplies are encouraged. Imports and exports are classified into 3 kinds:

A. Permitted imported and exported goods

B. Specially permitted imports and exported goods

C. Not permitted imported and exported goods

The grade listed above is to be decided by authorities of the Communist Trade Control Bureau.

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INFORMATION REGARDING THE SITUATION IN DAIREN 大連 (July 15, 1949)

DAIREN 4th March According to a report made by our agent at Dairen and received on the same date, the situation of Dairen is as follows:

1. Military Situation:

(1) Army--Russian patrols and reconnaissance squads scattered along the rim (separated from the Northeastern administrative area) of Dairen. Trenches and pill-boxes have been and are being built all over the mountains and hills. Additionally, artillery bases and observation posts are plentiful.

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Russian army has completed very solid defensive works-artillery bases-equipped with heavy cannons, and fortifications at the mountain peak near Singgapoo (星格浦), east to Dairen were completed. Thirty 10-ton tanks and seventeen anti-aircraft guns assembled at a place two kilos north to San Shih Li Po (三十里堡), forty-five kilos north to Dairen. North to the Lao Fu Tan Wharf (老虎灘碼頭) there are thirty-nine anti-aircraft guns and one hundred trucks.

Russian Garrison Headquarters at Dairen is situated at Chun San Square, left to Yuan Da Ho Hotel (原大和旅館). The whole strength is five thousand together with one thousand and four hundred trucks. The munition depots are all scattered in the tunnels of the suburb of Dairen. It is known that there are sixteen thousand well-equipped Russians at Port Arthur.

(2) Navy--Fourteen warships anchored at Dairen Harbor:

Battleship	1
Cruiser	4
Destroyer	2
Gun-boat	2
Transport	5 (each over 2000-tons)

(3) Air Force--Demostration of bombers has been frequent. At least thirty two propellar bombers participate in every demonstration with deep-green fuselages and red five-star emblems. One kilo to the east of Chow Sa Tze (周水子) railway station, north to Dairen there is an airdrome on which assembled sixty-seven fighters. There is another airdrome called Sa Ho Airdrome(沙河) in the vicinity of Dairen. Port Arthur Airdrome is known to have accomodate one hundred bombers for most of the time.

2. Administration and Police

(1) Administrative Organization--The supreme administrative organization is Kwan-Tung (關東) Headquarters, with four departments and a Public Security Bureau under it. Name of the Governor is Ze Tze-Hsieng (稱子祥). Area under its jurisdiction consists of King-Hsien (金縣), Fu Hsien (復縣), Port Arthur and Dairen. Han Kwan (韓光), former secretary to Dairen Communist Party headquarters is the director of the Public Security Bureau. Seven Security Groups with five thousand best-equipped police are under the direction of Han Kwan. A Police School is founded.